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## SANTO DOMINGO.

Report from Santo Domingo City—Yellow fever at La Vega.

The following is received from the American minister, under date of June 9:

Several cases of yellow fever are reported at La Vega.

This information was forwarded by the Bureau to Passed Assistant Surgeon Berry, quarantine station, Tampa, Fla.; Dr. Joseph Goldthwaite, health officer, Mobile, Ala.; Dr. C. H. Irion, president Louisiana State Board of Health; Dr. George R. Tabor, health officer, Texas, and Passed Assistant Surgeon Wille, Gulf Quarantine Station, Biloxi, Miss. Chief Quarantine Officer Foster, at San Juan, P. R., and Passed Assistant Surgeon von Ezdorf, at Habana, were also informed of the existence of yellow fever in Santo Domingo. The former was directed to notify the quarantine officers at the subports of Porto Rico, and the latter to notify Acting Assistant Surgeons Nuñez, at Matanzas, and Wilson at Santiago, and the Cuban authorities.

FOREIGN AND INSULAR STATISTICAL REPORTS OF COUNTRIES AND CITIES—UNTABULATED.

Africa—Lourenço Marquez.—Month of March, 1906. Estimated population, 10,000. Total number of deaths, 54, including 8 from phthisis pulmonalis.

Austria—Brünn.—Month of March, 1906. Estimated population, 95,342. Total number of deaths, 233, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 2, whooping cough 1, and 54 from tuberculosis.

British Guiana—Demerara—Georgetown.—Month of April, 1906. Estimated population, 36,567. Total number of deaths, 171, including diphtheria 1, and 16 from tuberculosis.

CHILE—Antofagasta.—Month of March, 1906. Estimated population, 25,000. Total number of deaths, 176, including enteric fever 5, plague 4, smallpox 23, and 12 from tuberculosis.

Dutch Guiana—Paramaribo.—Month of April, 1906. Estimated population, 33,535. Total number of deaths, 74. No contagious diseases reported.

Japan—Nagasaki.—Ten days ended May 10, 1906. Estimated population, 159,401. Total number of deaths not reported. One death from diphtheria reported.

HABANA— Cuba.—Month of January, 1906. Estimated population, 275,000. Total number of deaths, 571, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 5, measles 2, yellow fever 3, and 128 from tuberculosis.

Germany—Hanover.—Month of January, 1906. Estimated population, 250,435. Total number of deaths, 334, including 54 from infectious diseases.

Month of February, 1906. Total number of deaths, 301, including 47 from infectious diseases.

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Month of March, 1906. Total number of deaths, 340, including 48 from infectious diseases.

Weimar.—Month of April, 1906. Estimated population, 31,127. Total number of deaths, 46, including diphtheria 1, measles 1, and 3 from tuberculosis.

GIBRALTAR.—Three weeks ended May 13, 1906. Estimated population, 27,460. Total number of deaths, 25, including 1 from smallpox.

Great Britain—England and Wales.—The deaths registered in 76 great towns in England and Wales during the week ended May 19, 1906, correspond to an annual rate of 14.5 per 1,000 of population, which is estimated at 15,818,360.

Bradford.—Two weeks ended May 19, 1906. Estimated population, 288,544. Total number of deaths, 213, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 1, measles 18, scarlet fever 4, whooping cough 5, and 17 from phthisis pulmonalis.

London.—One thousand two hundred and seventy deaths were registered during the week, including measles 43, scarlet fever 10, diphtheria 11, enteric fever 3, whooping cough 38, and 16 from diarrhea. The deaths from all causes correspond to an annual rate of 14 per 1,000. In Greater London 1,740 deaths were registered. In the "outer ring" the deaths included 2 from diphtheria, 8 from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, and 8 from whooping cough.

Ireland.—The average annual death rate represented by the deaths registered during the week ended May 19, 1906, in the 21 principal town districts of Ireland was 21.4 per 1,000 of the population, which is estimated at 1,093,959. The lowest rate was recorded in Drogheda, viz, 8.2, and the highest in Kilkenny, viz, 39.3 per 1,000. In Dublin and suburbs 169 deaths were registered, including diphtheria 2, and 32 from tuberculosis.

Scotland.—The deaths registered in 8 principal towns during the week ended May 19, 1906, correspond to an annual rate of 17.6 per 1,000 of the population, which is estimated at 1,787,788. The lowest rate of mortality was recorded in Aberdeen, viz, 11.9, and the highest in Paisley, viz, 21 per 1,000. The aggregate number of deaths registered from all causes was 603, including measles 16, diphtheria 3, enteric fever 2, scarlet fever 1, and 15 from whooping cough.

ITALY—Genoa.—Month of February, 1906. Estimated population, 267,248. Total number of deaths, 958, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 5, measles 2, scarlet fever 2, whooping cough 1, smallpox 2, and 117 from tuberculosis.

Month of March, 1906. Total number of deaths, 1,358, including diphtheria 3, enteric fever 9, measles 2, scarlet fever 2, whooping cough 1, smallpox 3, and 172 from tuberculosis.

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Java—Batavia.—Two weeks ended April 28, 1906. Estimated population, 160,000. Total number of deaths not reported. No contagious diseases reported.

URUGUAY—Montevideo.—Month of March, 1906. Estimated population, 300,147. Total number of deaths, 392, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 15, whooping cough 1, and 52 from tuberculosis.

Spain—Barcelona.—Ten days ended May 10, 1906. Estimated population, 600,000. Total number of deaths, 472, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 3, measles 19, scarlet fever 2, whooping cough 1, smallpox 11, and 43 from tuberculosis.

Ten days ended May 20, 1906. Total number of deaths, 340, including diphtheria 3, enteric fever 4, measles 5, scarlet fever 1, smallpox 11, and 37 from tuberculosis.

Seville.—Month of April, 1906. Estimated population, 148,315. Total number of deaths, 394, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 4, measles 1, scarlet fever 4, whooping cough 1, smallpox 34, and 58 from tuberculosis.

Cholera, yellow fever, plague, and smallpox, from December 30, 1905, to June 15, 1906.

[Reports received by the Surgeon-General, Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service, from American consuls through the Department of State, and from other sources.]

[For reports received from June 30, 1905, to December 29, 1905, see Public Health Reports for December 29, 1905.]

[Note.—In accordance with custom, the tables of epidemic diseases are terminated semiannually and new tables begun.]

CHOLERA.

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| Place.                                     | Date.                        | Cases,   | Deaths.  | Remarks.                       |
| China:                                     |                              |          |          |                                |
| Hongkong                                   | May 31-June 5                | 1        | 1        |                                |
| India:                                     | _                            |          |          |                                |
| Bombay                                     | Dec. 6-May 15                |          | 172      |                                |
| Calcutta                                   | Nov. 12-May 5                |          | 1,542    |                                |
| Madras                                     | Nov. 25-Apr. 6               |          | 40       |                                |
| Rangoon                                    | Dec. 17-Apr. 21              |          | 43       |                                |
| Philippine Islands:                        |                              |          |          |                                |
| Provinces                                  | Jan. 1-Apr. 21               |          | 2,862    |                                |
| _ Manila                                   | Dec. 31-Apr. 21              | 283      | 252      |                                |
| Russia:                                    | ~                            |          |          |                                |
| General                                    | Dec. 7-17                    | 36<br>34 | 16<br>11 |                                |
| Government of Lomza<br>Government of Plock | Nov. 23-Jan. 14<br>Dec. 4-29 |          | 34       |                                |
| Government of Flock                        | Nov. 20-Dec. 26              |          | 12       |                                |
| Government of Stedlec                      | Dec. 12-18                   |          | 5        |                                |
| (Warsaw included).                         | Dec. 12-10                   | 9        | 3        |                                |
| (waisaw included).                         |                              |          |          |                                |
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| Brazil:                                    |                              |          |          |                                |
| Rio de Janeiro                             | Nov. 20-May 13               | 58       | 48       |                                |
| Sao Paulo                                  | Dec. 6-12                    |          | 1        |                                |
| Colombia:                                  |                              |          |          |                                |
| Barranquilla                               | Nov. 28-Dec. 4               | 6        | 4        |                                |
| Cartagena                                  | Dec. 17-23                   | 1        | 1        |                                |
| Cuba:                                      |                              | ļ        |          |                                |
| Habana                                     | Dec. 25-June 12              | 12       | 7        |                                |
| Matanzas Province                          | Feb. 5-May 23                | 3        | 2        |                                |
| Ecuador:                                   |                              |          |          |                                |
| _ Guayaquil                                | Dec. 4-Apr. 30               |          | 210      | Estimate for March, 1906, abou |
| Honduras:                                  |                              | _        |          | 300 cases, 60 deaths.          |
| Choloma                                    | Apr. 6-21                    |          | 1        |                                |
| El Paraiso                                 | Jan. 13-19                   |          | 1        |                                |
| Pimienta                                   | June 4-9                     |          |          |                                |
| Puerto Cortes                              | Mar. 13                      | 1        |          | Decomb                         |
| San Pedro                                  | Mar. 18-24                   |          |          | Present.                       |